

Special Privilege

One World, It's All

New RFC Scandal

Monday in Washington the United States Supreme Court laid the ghost of the "fair trade" laws which have crept into the statute books of 48 of the 48 states.

Allowed purpose of such laws was to permit manufacturers to fix a minimum price below which retailers were prohibited from offering merchandise to the public.

The supreme court destroyed the heart of "fair trade" legislation by ruling that unless a retail store signed a price agreement with the manufacturer the store couldn't be prosecuted for cutting prices.

There are arguments, of course, in behalf of manufacturer's right to control prices all the way down the line to and including the moment of actual sale to the ultimate consumer. But such arguments don't carry much weight with the public, with the newspapers, or with anyone else who honestly believes in free enterprise and competitive merchandising.

The right to buy and sell, like the right to speak and print what you think, is an absolute one, and can't be abridged except by the common law governing fraud—or slander and libel, in the case of speech and press freedom.

The man who asks governmental protection against a competitor's pricing is inadvertently opening the door to state socialism, and might eventually expect the government to come along and take over his entire business. I note that in Monday's supreme court decision the leftist Justice Frankfurter did indeed write the dissenting opinion. But six of the nine justices, headed by Douglas, threw the "fair trade" laws out.

Speaking of Justice William O. Douglas, I read a statement he made from Chicago Tuesday on what he found during his second tour of Asia.

It was a warning statement to the American people. The jurist said:

"The world is in a revolution which can not be bought off with dollars. We can not remake the world in our image but we can help those who are seeking an escape from squalor to find alternatives to Communism. There are rumblings in every village from the Mediterranean to the Pacific."

"Specific complaints" of native peoples as listed by the supreme court justice in the Rotarian magazine, where his statement appeared, included:

Absence of medical care

Lack of schools

A need for land reform

A desire to learn modern farming

The right to vote

A new sense of nationalism.

Douglas' report reminds you of what Wendell Willkie found during his own foreign tour, and which he reported in the book "One World."

Our disaster in China was already complete, but the Iran oil explosion against Great Britain hadn't happened, when Douglas wrote his statement. But his advice seems to cover both cases. He said:

"We have relied more, and more on our military, to do our thinking and planning for us." Douglas said, continues the Associated Press dispatch, that if America undertook to match Russia in a program of political action, "the chances of success would be considerable."

In Washington Tuesday the new boss of the Reconstruction Finance corporation, W. Stuart Symington, announced he had fired the RFC's Minneapolis manager for an "improper" get-rich-quick deal.

The manager, E. M. Rowlands, is accused of making \$36,000 profit by renting a government warehouse from one agency and then leasing it at a higher price to another federal bureau.

Symington said:

"I'm not concerned with whether it was illegal, but I'm dead certain it was improper—and Mr. Rowlands is out."

Of course it was improper, and when Symington fired the man without waiting to debate fine points of law he only did what every top public official is supposed to do.

Federal morality may be at a record low ebb, but the public has got to recognize and applaud a good opening performance by the new RFC chief. Cynicism won't get us anywhere. The cure for fraud is to demand honest administrators, and then support them—so honest men won't be afraid to take jobs in the federal service.

**Rev. L. T. Lawrence to Receive an Honorary Degree**

The Rev. L. T. Lawrence, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Hope, will be awarded the degree of Doctor of Divinity by Arkansas College at commencement exercises to be held next Monday, May 28.

In addition to the honorary degree, seventy-nine seniors at Arkansas College will be graduated. T. M. Martin, El Dorado, president of Lion Oil Company, will be the commencement speaker. Exercises will begin at 4:30 p.m.

The honorary degree to be awarded Mr. Lawrence is in recognition of his outstanding work in

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## Commencement Exercise Here Thursday Night

Commencement exercises for the Hope High School senior class will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 24, in Hammons Stadium.

The class address will be delivered by Dr. Carl J. Reng, president of Arkansas State College, Jonesboro. The program: "Priests' March", Mrs. B. C. Hyatt.

Invocation, Rev. W. T. Hardgrave, "Trees," Senior girls chorus.

Theme: Youth Faces Its Problems; Individual, Bobby Ross; Group, Wilma Coleman; Community, Shirley White and Nation, Carolyn Hawthorne.

"I Heard a Forest Praying," senior girls chorus.

Class Address, Dr. Carl J. Reng. Awarding of Diplomas, George P. Newbern, Jr., president of Board of Education.

Special Awards, Forney G. Holt, principal of Hope High School.

Recessional.

## The Kitchen Now Getting Attention

"The kitchen has received more attention than any other room in the home in recent years," stated W. M. Sparks, Hempstead County Supervisor, Farmers Home Administration, Hope.

Few families live in houses of their own planning and rural homeowners continue to seek help in converting kitchens of previous generations into convenient arrangements that will accommodate their respective families now.

Larger incomes, extension of rural electrification and increased availability of equipment and appliances together with available credit makes possible the realization of more efficient kitchens and rural homes.

Sinks, running water, and many other installations and remodeling to make rural homes more efficient and comfortable may be had with a loan through the Farmers Home Administration which includes assistance with planning and construction, Mr. Sparks said.

These loans are available under the Farm Ownership and Farm Housing Program, the interest rate is 4 per cent and the loans are repayable within a period of not more than 40 years.

County Supervisor Sparks further stated that farmers in Hempstead county are interested in developing their farms for more efficient operations. This requires soil conservation, pasture improvement, drainage, fences and other items of improvement.

Funds may be included in either the Farm Ownership or Farm Housing loans for land improvement as well as for construction or repair of dwellings and other essential farm buildings. Applications for this type of service should be made at the Farmers Home Administration Office, explained the County Supervisor, and he pointed out that all applications will be given prompt attention.

## Sorority Plans Third Annual Baby Contest

A baby contest and amateur program under the sponsorship of the Alpha Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will be held Thursday, June 7 at Hope City hall.

This is the third contest and amateur program the sorority has sponsored, the first being held in June, 1947 and again April, 1950.

Mothers wishing to enter their babies in the contest are asked to call 1201-J in the mornings. The age of the contestants is limited from 6 months to 3 years. A 8x10 picture of the contestant and a container will be placed in the downtown business firms. Votes will be one cent each.

The contestant receiving the largest number of votes will be presented with a gold loving cup.

## Local Soldier in Service School

Atlanta, Ga., May 22—Private William D. Billings, U.S. Air Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Billings, 605 Johnson street, Hope, Ark., graduated from the Ordnance Automotive School, Atlanta General Depot, USA, Atlanta, Georgia, May 18, 1951.

Private Billings entered the Army in June, 1950. He completed the Army Blacksmith course and was selected to attend the Ordnance Automotive School. He completed the course in Combination Welding.

## Graduating Class Stole Briefly Here

The Jefferson High School graduating class stopped in Hope briefly this morning. The class is enroute to Hot Springs for a 2-day stay on Lake Hamilton. The group left Jefferson, Texas at 4 o'clock this morning and will return to the school on Friday evening.

## Summer School to Start Here Monday, June 4

Summer School will begin Monday, June 4, at 8 a.m., it was announced by James H. Jones, Superintendent of Schools, today. The class periods will be for two hours each. The subjects offered will depend largely on demand of the students that need to make up work because of failures or because of conflict in next year's schedule.

The tuition charge will be \$15 for one High School subject and \$25 for two High School subjects for each six weeks term. Tuition for Jr. High work will be \$10 for one subject and \$15 for two subjects each six weeks term.

All students are urged to be at the high school by 8 a.m. so that the subjects to be offered can be determined at that time, please.

Call the high school if you desire additional information.

## Miller County Draft Board Resigns

Texarkana, May 23—(P)—Representation of selective service deferment policies has caused the entire Miller county draft board to resign.

T. A. Clark, Jr., Texarkana, a board member said the group had asked to be relieved by mid June.

He said deferment directives now in force would result in "drafting poor boys," not in college or on farms.

Other board members didn't comment.

At Little Rock selective service officials could not be reached for comment immediately.

## Military Funeral for Prescott War Hero

A Military Funeral Service will be conducted today at the Pleasant Hill Church of Christ, about five miles north of Prescott on Highway 19 at 2:30 p.m. for Cpl. Floyd M. "Buddy" Brown who was killed in action in Korea July 24, 1950, at the age of 21.

The Rev. McClain will be in charge of the service.

Cpl. Brown attended the Prescott High School. Prior to his discharge on October 18, 1949, he had served three years in the Army, receiving his thirteenth weeks training at Fort Lewis, Washington, and the remainder of that service at Osaka General Hospital, Osaka, Japan.

He re-enlisted in February 1950 and was sent back at his request to Osaka on April 20. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brown of Prescott, Route 2, received a letter early in June that his cavalry outfit had returned earlier than had been expected from maneuvers because of the situation in Korea. On November 28, 1950, his parents were notified that their son had been killed in action.

Cpl. Brown was born near Prescott, December 25, 1928, and lived in that vicinity throughout his childhood.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brown of Prescott; two sisters, Miss Ruth Brown of Little Rock, and Miss Velma Brown of Prescott; one brother, Arthur Brown of Prescott. His relatives in Hope include two aunts, Mrs. Hattie Sisson and Mrs. Louis Ferguson and two uncles, Jim Brown and Dick Brown.

At this husbandly solicitude the little lady gives a fluttery imitation of a dying swan, and answers:

"Oh, don't you worry your head about me while you're at the office. I eat enough. But it's no fun cooking for one, and I'd just rather snack in the middle of the day—and wait until you get home so we can enjoy a real meal together.

A wife can get away with this kind of marital sacrifice for as long as five years if she is an able actress. And I have yet to see a wife that isn't able, in moments of stress, to make Ethel Barrymore look like a gawky schoolgirl playing a walk-on role.

But sooner or later the husband though his love runs deep as a river, is going to have his doubts. He is just going to plain disbelieve that the little lady lurches on nothing but "an itty-bitty bite of tuna fish on a lettuce leaf."

For one thing, she isn't the little lady she was when he married her. She's picked up about fifteen or twenty pounds.

"Let's see," he begins to muse. "I see what she eats at breakfast, and I see what she eats at night for dinner. She just pecks at her food. Well, then where'd the pick up all that extra weight? It must be at lunch."

Now, for a man, that is pretty sound and crazy reasoning. The disillusioned husband goes on to draw this mental conclusion:

"Tuna fish and lettuce—heck! She must be eating a whale and half the front lawn every day while I'm at work."

Evidently he prompts him to this thought. For by now the poor fellow has eaten twice what he was told to eat, and still he hasn't even a whale and half the front lawn every day while I'm at work."

Children on Hope roads, and the children of the town, will be

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## Flying Saucers, Be They Real or Imaginary, Are Back With Us in at Least Two States

By United Press

Flying saucers, be they real or imaginary, were back with us today.

They appeared, according to the people who claimed they saw them, over Kansas and Minnesota yesterday.

About 50 residents at the eastern end of Rainy lake near International Falls, Minn., said they saw a "crystal ball" which performed like a "huge humming bird" as it flashed across the skies. It was joined later by another "crystal ball."

And an American Airlines pilot said a "bluish white star played tag" with his plane at an altitude of 21,000 feet southwest of Dodge City, Kans.

The air force has investigated many reports of weird aerial phenomena and has denied finding any evidence of "flying saucers."

The Minnesota observers said their "crystal ball" dashed across the sky at speeds "in excess of 700 miles an hour," then stopped suddenly and hung motionless above the lake. Then it shot upwards 200 feet in a split second, they said.

Suddenly, with the sun's rays reflecting from it, the ball moved toward a nearby cloud where it was joined by a second "crystal ball," the witnesses said. They hovered around the area for 15 minutes before flying off.

Meanwhile, 700 miles away, American Airlines Capt. W. R. Hunt watched the "bluish white star" which he said, dashed around his plane at 500 to 1,000 miles an hour.

"The star moved backward and forward, then up and down, and then seemed to come to a stop," Hunt said. "Then it would complete the pattern over again but would never approach closer than five miles to my plane."

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**SOCIETY**

Phone 1268 or 1269 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

**Calendar**

Wednesday, May 23rd

SP 7:30—The Laymen's League of First Christian Church will meet in Fellowship Hall for a dinner, business meeting and program. Mr. Ury McKenzie will be the guest speaker. All men of the church are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Thursday, May 24

The Brownie Troop under the leadership of Mrs. Ralph Lehman and Mrs. Graydon Anthony will meet at Fair Park Thursday at 9:30 a. m. Hostesses will be Kay Downing and Sybelle Putnam.

Friday, May 25

A party will be given at the Hope Country Club Friday from 8-11 p. m. for students of the seventh and eighth grades. Hosts will be Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Moore. All seventh and eighth grade students are invited.

Fidelis Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church will have a picnic supper at the Fair Park at 7 p. m. Friday.

The Friday Music Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Hendrix Spragins Friday night, May 25 at 7:30. At this time Mrs. Betty Whitlow Moore will play her graduation recital program of piano music.

Monday, May 28

Mrs. Edwin Stewart will present her grade school and junior high school piano pupils in recital Monday evening, May 28 at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. The public is invited.

**Notice**

The Jett E. Graves Class of the First Methodist Church has postponed their monthly social from Thursday, May 24 to Thursday, May 31 due to the commencement exercises.

The Band Mothers club meeting scheduled for tonight (Tuesday) has been postponed.

Mrs. Paul Cornelius of Fulton Entertains with Bridge Party

Mrs. Paul Cornelius entertained with a bridge party given Wednesday, May 16 in her home at Fulton.

Lovely arrangements of mixed spring flowers were placed at various points in the reception rooms.

Bridge was played from two tables. Mrs. T. J. Logan won high score prize.

A delicious salad plate was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. T. H. Seymour and Mrs. Herbert Cox.

Those attending the affair were: Mrs. H. O. Houghson, Mrs. Gus Davis, Mrs. T. J. Logan, Mrs. T. H. Seymour, Mrs. Jeti Orton, Mrs. Herbert Cox, and Miss Mattie Royston.

Lilac Garden Club  
DeAnn Meets

The Lilac Garden Club of DeAnn met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Elston Willis with Mrs. Roy Burke as co-hostess. The Willis home was decorated throughout with lovely arrangements of spring flowers. A point of interest in the living room was a lovely May pole placed on a side table.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Carl Coffey. After the business session the devotional was given by Mrs. Noel O'Steen.

For the program Mrs. Carlton Samuel gave an interesting talk on the "Care of Roses." Mrs. Eukas Burke gave the "Construction of Arrangements."

The flower arrangement contest was won by Mrs. Richard Arnold. A delicious dessert plate and iced

**Bankers Told Emergency to Be Long**

Hot Springs, May 23—(AP)—One of the nation's financial leaders discussed the future today with such phrases as "higher taxes," "Full-scale war" . . . a possible long-time emergency.

James E. Shelton of Los Angeles, president of the American Bankers Association, said in an address prepared for delivery at the closing session of the Arkansas Bankers Association:

"We must gear our economy to both the size and duration of a tremendous program to prepare for full-scale war. Possibly it will extend beyond your lives and mine."

Shelton said higher taxes are inevitable, "even if the government cuts nonmilitary domestic expenditures to the bone. If the government fails or refuses to do this, then taxes will be unbearable high."

Alternatives to substantial deficit financing said the ABA chief are an increase in national debt, "thereby adding dangerous liability to inflationary pressures and further endangering the integrity of the American dollar, or to levy indirect taxes. The latter, Shelton added, would add only to the cost of living, "which is already too high."

He said neither of the alternatives he outlined is economically sound "and both lack candor and honesty in that they hide from the people what they are actually paying for the cost of government. Unfortunately, these methods are politically more attractive than direct taxation, which every one sees and understands."

Shelton predicted that a frank and full understanding of the real costs of government by the electorate would create an irresistible demand for deduction in government expenditures" and expressed the hope that congress would squarely face this issue.

The California banker made another forecast. He said that in diverting manpower and productive effort into a military program without needlessly disrupting essential domestic economy, there would be many inequities and even injustices. But the big thing is to get the job done.

Shelton concluded with this appeal:

The liberty-loving self-governing citizens of this country are for patriotic reasons suffering their liberties to be restricted and their already heavy burdens to be increased. Now is the time, if ever in the history of this nation, for an alert citizenry to stand by as minute men solemnly resolved that wartime controls over the economy and the wartime regimentation of the people shall not become a permanent part of our economy and of our life.

"We must not allow the present emergency to become the occasion for losing our American heritage of a free political and economic life. We must not lose at home the very freedoms which we are fighting to preserve aboard."

**Notice**

The Green Easter Home Demonstration meeting scheduled for Friday will not be held. All members are expected to attend the frozen food demonstration at Tol-E-Tex at 2 p. m. Friday.

**Hospital Notes**

Josephine Admitted: Master Jimmy Don Ashley.

Discharged: None.

Branch Admitted: Mrs. Billie Monts, Hope.

Discharged: Mrs. M. L. Fox, Hope; Mrs. Billie Monts, Hope; Ruth McGill, Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner of Hope announce the arrival of a baby girl on May 22, 1951.

Julia Chester Admitted: Mrs. George Wylie, Hope; Mrs. Olen Powell, Hope; Mrs. A. J. Middlebrooks, Patmos; Mrs. Byron Williams, Saalal.

Discharged: Houston Wolff, Hope; Virgil Oller, Hope Rt. 1; Mrs. Wm. E. Butler, Hope Rt. 2; Mrs. A. J. Cummings, Jr., and daughter, Kathy Mae, Hope Rt. 3.

Mrs. Blackwood gave a talk on refinishing floors and how to make baskets out of crepe paper and corsages from nylon hose. The surprise package was won by Mrs. H. E. Nolan. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The meeting adjourned to meet at the church house on June 15. The demonstration will be making corsages and flower arrangements.

Ozan St. Paul Admitted: Mrs. James Lewis.

The Ozan St. Paul Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday May 16 in the home of Mrs. James Lewis for an all day meeting and pot luck dinner with a work session in the morning and business meeting in the afternoon. Mrs. A. F. Bohannon was co-hostess.

An antique chair was rebottomed with Hong Kong grass. Tin can basket weaving was demonstrated by Mrs. James Lewis.

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There was shown a box ornamented with a seed picture and an interesting discussion of same was given by James Lewis.

Mrs. Lorraine Blackwood, home demonstration agent, gave a very interesting report on the recent demonstration of refinishing floors.

Panties and socks were turned in for the Crippled Children's Home.

The meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. James Lewis.

The American Creed was given and Song Medley was sung. Mrs. A. F. Bohannon read the scripture and Mrs. Harry Chum led in prayer.

Games were conducted by Mrs. Alma Hanna and Mrs. Louis Stuart with the prizes going to Mrs. Harry Chum and Mrs. Blackwood.

Mrs. Earl Stuart and Mrs. Shirley Robbins were guests. The June meeting will be with Mrs. Cleon

**Flood Leaves Kansas Town Stranded**

Hays, Kans., May 23—(AP)—Volunteers and relief organizations today turned to the task of repairing damage and aiding victims of a swift-moving flood that swept through almost half of Hays.

At least four persons died. Three others are missing and believed drowned.

Mayor A. H. Harkness estimated property damage at more than \$1,000,000.

Swirling water from torinly quiet Big Creek spread over 75 blocks of this northwest Kansas town of 8,000 early yesterday. Hundreds of persons fled their homes, many clad only in nightclothes.

Others climbed to second stories or rooftops. Boats, tractors and even bulldozers and road graders were reported 15 feet deep in some persons.

Torrential rains forced Big Creek out of its banks, giving the town little warning. The flood waters were reported 15 feet deep in some spots.

The water receded swiftly and many persons began returning to some of the lesser damaged homes last night.

The Hays national guard unit, a medical detachment, planned to give typhoid shots today. The city water was reported safe but Dr. Henry Foster, head of the national guard unit, advised the shots as a precautionary measure.

Fort Hays State college was badly hit. No more classes will be held this semester.

During the flood, about 100 people were trapped in a dormitory. They formed a human chain from the building to higher ground, clinging tightly to each other. The water was waist-deep and still rising when the last of the girls reached safety.

The dean included Dr. C. F. West, 73, retired professor of philosophy at the college; Robert Rippey, 44; Mrs. June Blasing Hart, 20, and Gerald Gibson, 19. Gibson's body was found in a car that plunged off a road into a flooded area west of Hays. The other three drowned in their homes.

Two of Gibson's companions ... Joanne Bonham, 19, and her sister, Treya, 17 — were missing and believed drowned. Also missing in Hays was the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George N. Maska.

Schools and churches were used to house the victims. The Red Cross set up emergency feeding stations and trucked in cots and blankets.

It is believed that the cuckoo could not continue to survive as a species unless it placed its eggs in the nests of other birds to be hatched. Largest of insectivorous birds, it needs so much food that it must spend most of its time hunting it and probably could not live if it tried to incubate its own eggs.

**Clubs****Sweet Home**

The Green Easter Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. H. E. Nolen on May 18 with 13 members and one visitor, Mrs. Arl Mann, present. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Zack Stone. The song of the month "Song Medley" was sung the group followed by the devotion al, Luke 10:38-42 read by Mrs. H. E. Nolen. Mrs. J. E. Ward led in prayer. Roll call was answered with "How I Can Improve My Home".

The dress revue and council meeting on May 25 was discussed. The club voted to buy \$5 worth tickets on the roaster to be given a way at visiting day June 30. Cupcake recipes were given out. Socks and panties were turned in for the Crippled Children's Home at Little Rock. All members were present and paid one dollar each to Mrs. Blackwood for fees.

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**DOROTHY DIX****Shirk Their Duty**

Dear Miss Dix: I am a man in my late 30's, and come from a family of ten children (five girls and five boys). All are married except me. I live with my mother, who has signed her house over to me. I am to take care of her for the rest of her life. She is going on 72, and about four months ago, was taken ill so that she now needs constant care. I have asked my sisters to come one day a week each to take care of our mother and prepare the meals while I am away at work. Two of my sisters live out-of-town, so they can't come but the other three sisters and one sister-in-law were taking turns at my mother's care until two weeks ago. Then my sisters refused to continue their help so I had to hire a woman to come to do the work.

My younger married brother wants to take care of his wife for her I will pay her board, doctor's bills and for everything she will need. But I don't think it right or fair for my sister-in-law to take over this job when my own sisters have refused it. I am seriously considering sending my mother to a home or hospital, going out board myself and renting the house to help pay hospital expenses. Do you think I would be doing the right thing?

WALTER

Answer: Your sister-in-law is certainly a paragon among women to be willing to assume the care of an elderly and sick mother-in-law to take over the responsibility.

Sisters No Help

Four sisters bent out the truth of the old adage, "One mother can take care of ten children, but ten children cannot take care of one mother." They resent the fact that your mother's house is signed over to you, but this seems like a fair arrangement since the financial responsibility seems to be entirely on your shoulders. Furthermore, a ten-way division wouldn't give any one child much anyway.

The most suitable solution to your problem would be, in my estimation, to continue the present arrangement of hiring someone to come in every day, but since it is the son's answer I suppose there must be some reason why it can't be done. If the reason is financial per-

sonal, I would suggest an invitation to the wedding. They

are engaged and are planning to be married to a girl who insisted that we should each be free to have dates with the opposite sex without interference or questioning. I met a woman who invited me to play chess with her, which was our mutual hobby. She made it very plain that our relationship was entirely platonic. I agreed and we spent many pleasant hours at the game. Then my fiancee found out about the platonic woman and the platonic woman found out about her and they both blew up.

I reminded each of her demands and agreement, but it did no good. Now each one spends a lot of time saying what a heartless man I am. Please tell us bewildered men, just what does woman thinks she wants?

BEWILDERED MAN

Answer: Well when it comes to a man every woman is a monopolist. And even when she isn't very keen about having him herself, as I judge your fiancee to have been about you, she wants other women to keep their paws off him. She resents his being able to console himself for her indifference by finding pleasure in the society of any other woman. That goes about as far toward explaining the inconsistency of women as you are likely to get and it is something that is unpredictable and that no man can ever understand.

Also, your experience goes to show that there is no such thing as

control it. And more.

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**VENETIAN BLINDS, WOOD OR**  
metal. Old blinds refinished like  
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Free estimates. Riley Cooper,  
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**For Sale**

**COTTON PLANTING SEED, D & P L 16, First Year from Brooder,**  
T. B. McDavid, 8-1f.

**GOOD Schwinn bicycle, can be seen**  
at Hearn Service Station, East  
8th street. Terms to right party,  
Mr. and Mrs. Willis McGhee.  
21-34

**Mrs. Odessa Bradley, Miss Annie**  
M. White, Mrs. Laura Sanders,  
Miss Adell White, Mrs. Lula Smith  
Mrs. Martha Phillips and Mr. and  
Mrs. F. L. Douglass attended the  
funeral services for Sandy Rhone  
in Prescott.

**Oilers Beat Monroe to Stay in Lead**

By United Press

The El Dorado-Monroe clash for  
top spot in the Cotton States league  
is turning into a battle of playing  
sites with each team apparently  
able to beat the other at home.

El Dorado took its second  
straight from Monroe last night at  
El Dorado 4 to 1 to tighten its  
grip on top. Last week at Monroe,  
the Louisiana team knocked El Dorado  
out of first place with two wins.

In other games last night Natchez  
beat Greenville 10 to 7 in 11-innings  
and Greenwood took a 17 to 15inning  
sluggfest from Hot Springs.

A home run with two men on in  
the sixth by Centerfielder Credell  
Nance was the big blow for El Dorado.

The Oilers pushed over all their runs  
in the sixth. Monrovia touched  
them while Bowden and Stewart  
gave up five safeties to El Dorado.

Natchez and Greenville matched  
scores until the 11th inning when  
the Indians showed over the three  
winning tallies. Roy Jayne pitched  
the whole game for Natchez, and  
yielded 18 hits while his mates  
reached Pitchers Gilman, Mallon  
and Heche for 11.

Greenwood scored four times in  
the 11th and then nipped a two-run  
Hot Springs rally for its triumph.

Hot Springs had a seven run fourth  
inning. Each team used three  
pitchers, with Hot Springs' moundamen being pounded for 19  
hits while Greenwood pitchers gave  
up 15.

Tonight's game -- Greenwood at  
Hot Springs; Clarkdale at Pine Bluff;

Monroe at El Dorado; Natchez at  
Greenville.

**SPIKING** of grocery stores! We  
have a nice store doing good  
business. Modern fixtures, the  
building and nice home on same  
lot. Will sell all, or might be interested  
in selling stock and fixtures and  
renting property.

**TELEPHONE** exchange in nearby  
small town. All equipment in ex-  
cellent condition. Net \$3,000.00  
per year. Nice 5 room home  
with modern conveniences, located  
on only 2 acres, large garden,  
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pecan trees and other beautiful  
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Phone 1300 22-31

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1/2 room unfurnished house by  
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Some of our men earn over \$200.00  
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MAN accepted must have car, and  
be of good character sales ex-  
perience not necessary.  
For interview call:

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**The Negro Community**

By Helen Turner  
Phone 774  
Or bring items to Miss Turner  
at Hicks Funeral Home

Regular missionary service Wed-  
nesday at 2:30 p.m. at the Church of  
God.

Cottage Prayer meeting every  
Thursday at 8 p.m. at Church of  
God.

Coming and Going  
Mrs. Beulah M. Ware of Los  
Angeles, Calif., is the guest of her  
sister, Mrs. Viola Simpson and  
Edward Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bradley of  
Fin Springs spent the week end  
with Mrs. Fannie Witherspoon and  
family.

Miss Geneva McGhee of Tus-  
kegee, Ala., is visiting her parents,  
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**Real Estate for Sale**

ON a nice large shady lot, this  
five-room home, has venetian  
blinds, hardwood floors, plentiful  
built-ins. Only two years old with  
garage. Worth the money at \$700  
cash and balance of \$38 per  
month. 881 East Seventh

ONLY \$100 cash and \$41 per month  
will buy this attractive five-room  
home with garage. Possession  
June 1. See at 937 Peach street.

**YESTER-DAY'S**

Rent Estate, Insurance, Loans

108 Elm Second Phone 152

21-31

AT 1005 South Elm we have a nice  
five room home for sale. Hard  
wood floors, 75x100 lot, and pric-  
ed to sell.

**NICE** four room home, hardwood  
floors, venetian blinds, located  
and one acre of land, located  
on proving ground road.

**NICE** three bedroom home, newly  
decorated, garage, nice garden,  
and back yard all fenced. Cor-  
ner lot, paved streets, 1003 West  
6th street. Small down payment  
and balanced like rent.

**NEW** and beautiful, 4 1/2 room bungalow.  
Hardwood floors, little  
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**IF** you want some investment prop-  
erty see us. We have 4 small  
houses that rent for \$45.00 per  
month. You can buy for \$5,000.

**ON** West Avenue B we have a 2  
story home with grocery store  
included. Small grocery stock  
and fixtures. Store doing good  
business. Situated on 85x150 ft.  
lot. You may have it all for just  
\$9,700.00.

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**STANDINGS**

Big State League

Team	W	L	Pct.
Gainesville	25	11	.703
Austin	21	15	.583
Waco	19	15	.559
Temple	20	18	.526
Sherman-Dempster	19	15	.514
Wichita Falls	18	19	.486
Texarkana	15	23	.395
Tyler	9	28	.212

All members of the club are asked  
to qualify between now and Sunday,

June 3. The following day the play-

off starts in earnest with at least

two matches a week.

Tournament entries and handi-

caps will be announced.

**National League**

Team	W	L	Pct.
New York	22	0	.739
Chicago	18	10	.607
Detroit	16	12	.552
Boston	18	13	.552
Washington	15	11	.517
Cleveland	14	15	.483
Philadelphia</td			



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7 BIG DAYS OF VALUES FOR ALL DURING REPHAN'S BIG MAY SALE!

Ladies New Spring

Dresses

\$4.98  
Values \$3.00

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\$10.98  
Values \$8.98



Cool bembergs, flowered printed rayons, French crepes, tissue ginghams, and soft broadcloths in fashions to delight the matron, miss and junior.

## ONE BIG TABLE OF DRESS REMNANTS

Waffle pique, butcher linen, French crepe and many others. Values up to \$1.49 yard

49c to 79c yard

## 11 QUAGE 16 DENIER NYLON HOSE 98c

All first quality nylons in the newest spring and summer shades. All sizes

## Men's All Leather Dress OXFORDS

Wonderful selection in wing tips, plain toe or cap toes. Values to 10.98. Sizes 6 to 12 in black, tan, and two tone.

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The latest styles in town. Rephan's millinery is tops in style and value. Priced from

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Sanforized shirts. Regularly priced

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Same socks that are

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Superior quality colored T-Shirts  
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## WHY PAY MORE?

There's no point to spending lots of money for the things you need when you can shop so economically at Rephan's. Everything we sell is an honest-to-goodness bargain! Just look at the bargains below! Shop Rephan's and Save.

Men's Sanforized Army Twill Summer Weight

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\$2.98

## SHIRTS TO MATCH

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## SANDALS

Wonderful styles to complete your wardrobe this summer. Values to 3.98

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## BUTCHER LINEN SANDALS

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## LADIES SADDLE OXFORDS

Black and white or brown and white combinations with white rubber soles

\$3.98

## LADIES SUN BONNETS

Ideal for outdoor wear Extra Special

10c

## Men's Summer STRAWS

Cool summer straws in new styles and colors.

\$1.98

## Boys Blue Denim JEANS

Denim boxer jeans in sizes 1 to 6.

\$1.00

## Men's \$6.98 Summer SLACKS

Rayon slacks with pleated or plain fronts. Sizes 28 to 42.

\$4.98

## Men's Blue Denim JEANS

Sanforized denim jeans in all sizes.

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## Ladies Jersey GOWNS

Cool gowns and they are regular 1.29 values.

69c

## MEN'S \$2.98 and \$3.98 RAYON SPORT SHIRTS

Short sleeve shirts in slipover style with knit bottoms or regular styles. Nice run of sizes and colors.

\$2.49

## BOYS' \$1.49 SHORT SLEEVE SPORT SHIRTS

Sanforized sport shirts in solid colors and prints. Sizes 4 to 8.

\$1.00



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FRED ROBERTSON, Mgr.

## Children's \$2.98 SANDALS

White, red, tan and two tone. All sizes.

\$1.98

## Ladies Cool ZOMBIES

In red, white or black. Regular 1.49 values.

\$1.00

HOPE SWIMMING POOL OPENS SATURDAY, MAY 26th

## SWIM SUITS

We have a large and complete stock for every member of the family

### MEN'S

Plaids, solids, patterns. Boxer type and briefs.

\$1.79 to \$2.98

### LADIES

Pretty styles and colors in nylon and lastex. Get yours now.

2.98 to 6.98

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Boxer type and briefs in plaids, patterns and solids.

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### 11 Only Ladies Summer SUITS

### TOPPERS

\$10.98

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\$7.98

Wonderfully cool spring suits in new colors and good range of sizes.  
5 Suits . . . Special . . . \$8.98

Gabardine toppers in styles for spring and summer. Most sizes.

## SUMMER PURSES

Large selection of these nice purses of simulated leather and plastic. All colors (Tax included)

2.98

## Ladies 3.98 PRINTED SKIRTS

Floral printed skirts in a wide assortment of colors. All sizes. Buy now and save. Only . . .

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## Men's Short Sleeve SPORT SHIRTS

Sanforized skip dent shirts in white and pastel colors. All sizes.

1.39